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PORTABLE TELEPHONE APPARATUS THAT CAN ATTAIN DIRECTIVIITY OF ANTENNA WHICH OPTIMIZES RECEPTION STATE FROM BASE STATION

Enclosed are the following:

- Specification: 22 pages; Claims: 5 pages; Abstract: 1 page
- Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Sheet(s) of drawings 8 pages
- An assignment of the invention to: NEC Corporation
- A certified copy of Japanese application No. 2000-106897 filed April 7, 2000.
- Information Disclosure Statement

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 by way of <u>Japanese</u> patent application No. <u>2000-106897</u> filed April 7, 2000

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